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Sarah Fleischman, State President



University of Florida, majoring in Biology while minoring in Public Health. I enjoy getting involved in my local community

Florida HOSA, we are back at it again becoming future health professionals! Returning members, advisor, and Florida HOSA enthusiasts - welcome back! If you are a new member or advisor, I welcome you to Florida HOSA and the great opportunities that lie ahead.

I am delighted to be serving as State President for this year and I anticipate another AWESOME year ahead for our State Association! Living the scholastic lifestyle, I am currently a sophomore at the

and this year I have joined the Mobile Outreach Clinic at UF to help me do so! Along with providing a helping hand, I also enjoy learning new things, trying new things, and going to Disney World!

This will be my sixth year as an affiliated member of this organization and I plan to make it my best! I am looking forward to expanding my familiarity with you all! Through local Fall/Spring Conferences, Fall Leadership Development Academy, State Leadership Conference, and the International Leadership Conference, I hope to be a positive influence for our members and provide any assistance that they may need. My personal goal is to increase communication throughout our state. I find that the best ideas can be the ones which we learn from our peers!

With that said, I hope you are ready for another year full of innovation and achievement, Florida HOSA, because

Patricia Fuentes, State President-Elect

As you take your first steps through the halls of your school, you begin to think: "What will this new school year have for me?" You hear the echoing sounds of the bell as you walk towards the first day of class and then you see a glimmering, navy blue poster in the distance. It catches your eyes and you realize it is not only the start of a new school year, but of your HOSA year!

It is my utmost honor to have, and continue to witness, the vitality and strength of HOSA as an organization for the past three years. Currently, I am a senior at Hialeah Gardens High School in Miami. I fostered my passion for HOSA in my Health Science class as my advisor first introduced me to the potential of our organization. I cannot express enough how excited I am for our 2016-2017 HOSA year as your Florida HOSA State President-Elect!

For this upcoming year, I see Florida HOSA capable of great achievements as together we strive for the unthinkable. I can attest to the passion of our members and I am confident that you will thrive in all of your endeavors! I look forward to seeing our membership grow again this year and I can't wait to meet many of you as we will share countless memories together at our conferences throughout the year! It is your ambition, passion, and resilience that will bring you the highest success in all that you set your mind to do. I am more than thrilled to share this HOSA year with you and see all of your aspirations come to fruition. And without further ado, welcome back, Florida HOSA!



Alex Williams, State Northern Vice-President, Secondary



It is my great pleasure to be a part of this State Team and to be able to serve the members of Florida HOSA for another year! I hope to work even harder this year to meet more members and to make the workshops more fun, as well as the conferences. Most importantly though, I hope to help the members of Florida HOSA have the best year yet! But I won't stop there. This year is also going to be the year that I push myself to the limits and find out what I can do as far as balancing college and HOSA. However, I'm pretty confident that I can do it and will be able to show you just how dedicated I am. Now you all have to do your part. School has started which means more late nights, more tests, more homework, and more hard work. But I have confidence in the members of Florida HOSA and know that you'll all strive to do your absolute best in everything you do, whether that's school, work, or HOSA. With that being said, good luck and here's hoping for another amazing year!

"Life begins at the end of your comfort zone."

- Neale Donald Walsch

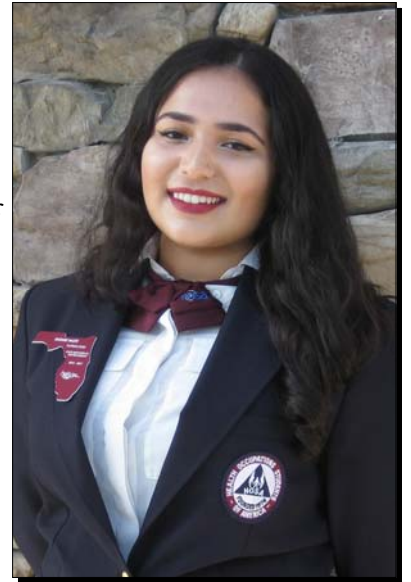
Suzane Nazir, State Northern Vice-President, Postsecondary/Collegiate

Greetings, my Florida HOSA family! I am elated to be able to introduce you to yet another phenomenal year, and even more, to serve as your Northern Vice President, Postsecondary/Collegiate.

Formerly a Region 8 member, this is my second year in Region 4, and my fifth year in HOSA. I'm currently a sophomore at the University of South Florida (accounting for the largest Florida HOSA Postsecondary/Collegiate chapter, go bulls!) dual majoring in Cellular/Molecular Biology and Public Health to ultimately reach my goal of attending medical school.

As I commence my fifth year in this amazing organization, I look back on the countless opportunities and experiences that have molded me into the leader

that I am today. Therefore, this year, I encourage you all to take advantage of the opportunities provided for you - big or small, seize the moment!! One of my goals this year is to increase the membership and involvement of the postsecondary members, so that more college students are able to continue to reap those opportunities provided by our state. I would also like to encourage graduating high school seniors to continue their journey with HOSA, and even create their own chapters at their prospective institutions, if a chapter has not already been established. Increasing the involvement of HOSA on college campuses will allow incoming freshmen to continue their trek in HOSA, keep formerly built relationships alive, and build new ones. Thank you for allowing me to serve you this upcoming year. I look forward to meeting each and everyone of you at all the different conferences! Welcome to a new HOSA year!



MY KOOL SMILES SCHOLARSHIP

Kool Smiles, a leading provider of quality dental care in underserved communities nationwide, is proud to announce its first annual My Kool Smiles Scholarship Fund essay contest, sponsored by the Benevis Foundation. A \$5,000 scholarship will be awarded to one eligible U.S. student whose essay on how dental health can contribute to the well-being of families and children demonstrates excellence. The deadline to submit applications is September 30, 2016. Click [here](#) for eligibility requirements and additional information.

Jacqueline Anorga, State Southern Vice-President, Secondary



Hello, Florida HOSA! Welcome back! I can assure you, I miss the sun and sleeping-in late as much as you do. However, it's time to crack the spine of textbooks and enjoy the fresh smell of loose-leaf paper in the hot August air. Are you as excited as I am to start this 2016-2017 HOSA Year?

My name is Jacqueline Anorga; however, you can call me Jackie. I would like to start off with a small introduction, I am currently a freshman at Florida International University (Go Panthers!) and my career interest is Nursing for Pediatric Oncology. I grew up in Broward County where I balanced HOSA leadership roles and enjoyed different activities such as photography, writing, and reading.

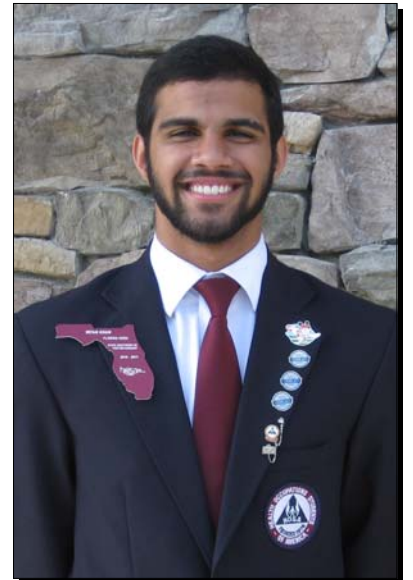
I hope that as a State Officer I will accomplish more than being a leader, but being a friend to you as well. As this year progresses, I wish to capture every moment with each of you and join them together to write the next chapter of this amazing organization -as a unit, we will bind this HOSA family together just like a book. As Dr. Patch Adams once said,

"Our job is improving the quality of life, not just delaying death." So, until a stethoscope hangs around our neck, let us improve the quality of this organization as the future men and women of the healthcare field. Are you ready?

Irfan Khan, State Southern Vice-President, Postsecondary/Collegiate

With new beginnings come new opportunities, and with new opportunities come new moments to advance ourselves in all phases of life. Hello, Florida HOSA! The new beginning I am speaking of is the 2016-2017 HOSA Year. While we can no longer add to the memories of Summer 2016, there are plenty of amazing memories to make within the upcoming year. I wish you nothing but success and prosperity in all that you do this year and I strongly urge you to take advantage of all the opportunities offered through Florida HOSA and National HOSA! Personally, I am entering my junior year at Nova Southeastern University, where I am currently studying Athletic

Training and Biology. I absolutely love Athletic Training! It allows me to work with athletes and apply what I learn in the classroom to the field in order to help those athletes play the sport they love. That's extremely rewarding for me. That is also the reason I became a State Officer; it's extremely rewarding to be able to work with the amazing HOSA members, advisors, and parents throughout the state. During my final term as a State Officer, I hope to inspire and empower the members of Florida HOSA allowing them to develop the same passion for HOSA that I have developed over the years, and grow as future health professionals and leaders. I promise to put my best efforts into everything I do for Florida HOSA and I'm looking forward to a phenomenal year!



"Creativity is intelligence having fun."

- Albert Einstein

2016 – 2018 National Service Project
National Alliance on Mental Illness (NAMI)

<https://www.nami.org/>

Start collecting your pennies and loose change for Penny Wars at the SLC!

Hebah Khan, State Parliamentarian



Hello everyone! Welcome back to the beautiful world of education that we are all so blessed to have access to! I hope you all had an amazing summer and that you're ready to have an incredible year ahead! To share a bit about myself, my name is Hebah which means "gift" in Arabic. I was born in West Palm Beach, Florida, and currently, I attend Nova Southeastern University which is located in Fort Lauderdale. I am majoring in Biology with a minor in Public Health. Being in pre-medical programs ever since 6th grade, the healthcare field is something that I can truly say I have an immense passion for. It never fails to amaze me how the human body is so intricate and how there are so many different aspects about it. How amazing is it to have found an organization like HOSA that unites me with so many others who have similar passions! I first joined HOSA during my sophomore year of high school (I went to a different high school that didn't have HOSA when I was a freshman!) and I'm so proud to say that I've been an active member of Florida HOSA for 5 years now. As your FL HOSA

State Parliamentarian, my goal is to make sure that things are always in order and that every member is comfortable with his/her surroundings. I hope to meet each and every one of you at our upcoming conferences throughout the year, but until then – take care and get ready for a HOSA-tastic year!

"If your dreams don't scare you, they aren't big enough."

- Ellen Johnson Sirleaf

HOSA Week November 6–12, 2016

HOSA Week is a time for HOSA members to get out into the community and provide services, inform about opportunities in health care, show appreciation to health professionals and promote HOSA! While the first full week in November is usually designated as HOSA Week, chapters can select any week to be HOSA Week for their school. For activity ideas, follow this link to the National HOSA webpage: <http://www.hosa.org/node/122>.

HOSA Updates

Review the 2016 - 2017 Competitive Event Topics and Updates

Check out the 2016 - 2017 Middle School International Category Events

Download HOSA's Updated Competitive Events Guidelines

ILC 2016 Middle School Winners List

Event	Place	Winner/s	School
Extemporaneous Health Poster	2	Mackenzie McQueen	North Bay Haven Charter
Extemporaneous Health Poster	3	Joseph Hunt	Woodlands Middle School
Extemporaneous Health Poster	5	Ariel Gates	R. Dan Nolan Middle School
Health Career Display	2	Siegel; Gelenski	Loggers Run Middle School
Health Career Display	3	Quintero; Garcia	Hialeah Garden Middle School
Health Career Display	5	Huott; Perez	Boca Raton Community Middle
Health Education	1	Clemann; Bisio; Ely	Martha B. King Middle School
Health Education	2	Soto; Steele; Pena	Woodlands Middle School
Health Education	7	Topolski; Jabr; Bayne; Barrios	Loggers Run Middle School
Healthy Lifestyle	3	Savari Datta	Sgt. Smith Middle School
Healthy Lifestyle	4	Virginia Lopez	Sligh Middle Health Academy
Medical Terminology	1	Tiffany Zhang	Boca Raton Community Middle
Medical Terminology	2	Kaline Kinda	Loggers Run Middle School
Medical Terminology	4	Gabriella Vazquez-Cruz	R. Dan Nolan Middle School
Prepared Speaking	1	Zara Siassi	Woodlands Middle School
Prepared Speaking	3	Dylan Slossberg	Woodlands Middle School
Prepared Speaking	6	Soumia Naeem	Hialeah Garden Middle School
Public Health	1	Thomas; Corbin; Judge; Molina; Roque; Roque	Sgt. Smith Middle School
Public Health	2	Ross; Oko; Mandell	Woodlands Middle School

2016-2017 HOSA Theme:

**Leadership, Service,
Engagement**

ILC 2016 Secondary Winners List

Event	Place	Winner/s	School
CPR/First Aid	3	Fernandez; Villavicencio	Hialeah Garden HS
CPR/First Aid	8	Fuentes; Gomez	Hialeah Garden HS
Clinical Specialty	1	Victoria Johnson	North Bay Haven Career
Creative Problem Solving	4	Barkley; Mcauley; Penta	Pensacola High School
Extemporaneous Health Poster	5	Debora Cordero	Osceola High School
Extemporaneous Writing	2	Jordan Block	Park Vista Comm. High
HOSA Bowl	2	Gupta; Dias; Eldawy; Kizilbash	Pensacola High School
HOSA Bowl	4	Gichi; Sanchez; McCall; Bastin	Palm Beach Gardens H.S.
Healthy Lifestyle	3	Dawson Laforce	South Fort Myers
Interviewing Skills	2	Haley Brown	West Boca Raton High
Knowledge Test: Medical Law and Ethics	5	Xuan Ho	Pensacola High School
Knowledge Test: Pharmacology	1	Alexandra Nielsen	Pensacola High School
Medical Innovation	1	Garcia; Londono	Gulliver High School
Medical Spelling	1	Raphael Brosula	Strawberry Crest HS
Medical Terminology	8	Sonia Singh	Lake Minneola High School
Parliamentary Procedure	7	Barr; Spears; Dexter; Cadrain; Sharpe; Maynard; Bundy; Lando	Ft. White High School
Personal Care	8	Ashley Bruce	Plant City High School
Physical Therapy	6	Darian Bernstein	Gainesville High School
Researched Persuasive Speaking	1	Meghana Bhimreddy	Hillsborough High School
Speaking Skills	4	Shannon Yagins	Plant City High School
Speaking Skills	6	Mekena Taunton	Wewahitchka HS
Speaking Skills	7	Sarah Roberts	Plant City High School
Veterinary Science	2	Nikki Lukowski	Pine View School
Veterinary Science	7	Danielle LaBonte	Palm Beach Gardens H.S.

ILC 2016 Postsecondary Winners List

Event	Place	Winner/s	School
Biomedical Laboratory Science	2	Jacquiline Reeves	South Florida State College
Biomedical Laboratory Science	4	Fariha Hossain	University of South Florida
Dental Science	1	Shelby Lafortune	Robert Morgan Ed. Center
Dental Science	4	Stephany Rodriguez	Robert Morgan Ed. Center
Dental Terminology	5	Stephanie Gonzalez	Robert Morgan Ed. Center
Epidemiology	2	Michelle Allman	University of South Florida
Epidemiology	3	Megan Kanhai	University of Florida
HOSA Bowl	2	Kanhai; Woody; Yousaf	University of Florida
HOSA Bowl	5	Jeyakumar; Verma; Abellard; Shah	Florida Atlantic University
Health Career Display	9	Zainulabeddin; Monowar	University of South Florida
Home Health Aide	2	Juana Gamboa	South Florida State College
Knowledge Tests: Nutrition	3	Karen Herrera Garcia	Florida Atlantic University
Knowledge Tests: Pharmacology	6	Tasmiah Rahman	Florida Atlantic University
Medical Assisting	3	Amy Congilaro	Manatee Technical College
Medical Assisting	8	Abigail Costides	Manatee Technical College
Medical Innovation	1	Pankiewicz; Raines	University of South Florida
Medical Math	6	Bisma Masudi	University of Florida
Medical Spelling	4	Lekha Mutyala	Nova Southeastern University
Medical Terminology	8	Linda Rampone	Manatee Technical College
Medical Terminology	9	Aaron Gomez	University of Florida
Nursing Assisting	3	Jessica Cano	University of Florida
Prepared Speaking	2	Bailey Rigsby	Florida Atlantic University

ILC 2016 Recognition Session Winners

Outstanding HOSA Advisor

Sharleen Scarafia, - Jupiter HS

Outstanding State Leader

Jay Tellis - Pensacola State College

National Service Project

Cypress Bay HS - Merit Level

St. Lucie West Centennial HS - Merit Level

Palm Beach Gardens HS - Merit Level

Middleburg HS - Merit Level

Flanagan HS - Merit Level

Bellevue High School - Merit Level

Deltona HS - Merit Level

Celebration HS - Merit Level

Tampa Bay Tech - Merit Level

Ft. Pierce Central HS - Recognition Level

North Bay Haven Career - Recognition Level

HOSA Chapter Reflections

Woodlands Middle School

Deltona High School

Cypress Bay High School

North Bay Haven Career Academy

Polk State Chain Of Lakes Collegiate HS

Jupiter High School

Tampa Bay Tech

HOSA Happenings

North Bay Haven Charter

Coral Glades HS

Flanagan HS

Miami Springs Sr. HS

Middleburg HS

North Bay Haven Career

Palm Beach Gardens HS

St. Lucie West HS

Tampa Bay Tech

Terra Environmental
Research Institute

MRC Volunteer

Joaquin Morales - MAST @
Homestead

Marco Ocampo - MAST @
Homestead

Barbara James Service Award

Gold

Gustavo Gamboa - American HS

Yanallyn Rios - American HS

Marco Texeira - American HS

Teneice Hodge - Bartow HS

Tanner Crews - Belleview HS

Abby Webber - Boone HS

Shantonee Porter - Coral Glades HS

Amanda Rubbo - Coral Glades HS

Nicolas Sarmiento - Coral Glades HS

Mateo Sarmiento - Coral Glades HS

Alexandra Torres - Coral Glades HS

Jose Constantin - Cypress Bay HS

Krystal Espinoza - Deltona HS

Jillian Hernandez - Deltona HS

Nicole Hession - Deltona HS

Jordyn McCaskill - Deltona HS

Tomian Nash - Deltona HS

Brandon Shadeed - Deltona HS

Nathania Sterling - Deltona HS

Maria Camila Acevedo - Flanagan HS

Devika Mansaram - Flanagan HS

Shelby Crookes - Jupiter HS

Olivia Curtis - Jupiter HS

Christian Santiago - Lake Minneola HS

Christina Fleck - Manatee HS

Joaquin Morales - MAST @ Homestead

Marco Ocampo - MAST @ Homestead

Meeti Mehta - Olympia HS

Raoul Andalis - Palm Beach Gardens HS

Lanette Bonilla - South Ft. Myers

Isabel Cotto - South Ft Myers

Jacquelyn Daly - South Ft Myers

Hailey Dyer - South Fort Myers

Barbara James Service AwardGold (cont.)

Noah Allen – Tampa Bay Tech
 Naveen Paladugula – Tampa Bay Tech
 Jasmine Thomas – Tampa Bay Tech
 Michael Goncalves – Terra
 Daniela Martinez – Terra
 Alexi Prieto – Terra
 Juliette Ramos – Terra
 Ricardo Reboso – Terra
 Samantha Suarez-Burgos – Terra
 Ferjoline Darcelin – Turner Tech
 Ruth Fennell – Turner Tech
 Baneé Louis – Turner Tech
 Jessica Myrtil – Turner Tech

Silver

Saray Ortega – Boone HS
 Jessica Numeriano – Coral Glades HS
 Lauren Bodden – Cypress Bay HS
 Hope Brunner – Cypress Bay HS
 Shadia Tannir – Cypress Bay HS
 Jeena Zacharia – Cypress Bay HS
 Areona Grayson – Deltona HS
 Kevion Anderson – Flanagan HS
 Ashley Contreras – Flanagan HS
 Dion Ash – Lake Gibson HS
 Tayler Price – New Smyrna Bch
 Jennifer Alpert – Palm Bch Gardens
 Ashley Bastin – Palm Bch Gardens
 Marisela Benitez – Palm Bch Gardens
 Morgan DiCocco – Palm Bch Gardens
 Juan Rodriguez – Palm Bch Gardens
 Hector Sanchez – Palm Bch Gardens
 Jada Sears – Palm Bch Gardens
 Aglaja Margaris – Palm Harbor Univ. HS
 Myla'Sha Williams – Polk State
 Chain Of Lakes Collegiate HS
 Eyllen Miranda – South Ft Myers
 Ana Scaliante – South Ft Myers
 Yolie Cius – St. Lucie West Centennial
 Jasmine Jones – Turner Tech
 Kayla Gutierrez – Wiregrass Ranch
 Devynn Montgomery – Wiregrass Ranch
 Elizabeth Raatma – Wiregrass Ranch
 Kali Sotolongo – Wiregrass Ranch

ILC 2016 Recognition Session Winners

Barbara James Service AwardBronze

Hailey Billitteri – Boone HS
 Emily MacMillin – Boone HS
 Kiara Zambrana – Boone HS
 Nina Ali – Coral Glades HS
 Nisha Ali – Coral Glades HS
 Emily Buckley – Coral Glades HS
 Karyn Da Silva – Coral Glades HS
 Zahra Dixon – Coral Glades HS
 Ahsan Ehani – Coral Glades HS
 Elise Farnan – Coral Glades HS
 Daniel Fierro – Coral Glades HS
 Nicole Hedges – Coral Glades HS
 Olivier Jean-Francois – Coral Glades HS
 Sarah Kassem – Coral Glades HS
 Doreen Miland – Coral Glades HS
 Sandra Palomino – Coral Glades HS
 Cachandre Rawlins – Coral Glades HS
 Stephanie Ray – Coral Glades HS
 Haley Sanderson – Coral Glades HS
 Jessica Vasquez – Coral Glades HS
 Krystal Young – Coral Glades HS
 Sara Burgoa – Cypress Bay HS
 Nicolas Constantin – Cypress Bay HS
 Adriana De Gennaro – Cypress Bay HS
 Krista Fauni – Cypress Bay HS
 Sharon Gonzalez – Cypress Bay HS
 Brooke Gur – Cypress Bay HS
 Andrea Guzman – Cypress Bay HS
 Ammad Mansoor – Cypress Bay HS
 Linda S. Rios – Cypress Bay HS
 Madi Biondillo – Deltona HS
 Aolani Cavida – Deltona HS
 Amanda Coleman – Deltona HS
 Griffin Daly – Deltona HS
 Michelle Decker – Deltona HS
 Gillian DiGioia – Deltona HS
 Ashlee Fowler – Deltona HS
 Kasandra Fuller – Deltona HS
 Molly Galway – Deltona HS
 Jai Gonzalez – Deltona HS
 Dahlia Hinton – Deltona HS
 Emily Jennings – Deltona HS
 Tinesha McCrae – Deltona HS
 Jacob Mielech – Deltona HS
 Yaire Montanez – Deltona HS
 Nailime Paneto – Deltona HS

Eban Prado – Deltona HS
 Kailey Raimundo – Deltona HS
 Jazmyn Soto – Deltona HS
 Casey Yurich – Deltona HS
 Jacqueline Anorga – Flanagan HS
 Treesa Joy – Flanagan HS
 Tatyana Kelly – Flanagan HS
 Sarah Adalsha – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Alexandria Aracayos – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Jessica Barnes – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Christina Doung – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Nicole Fernandez – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Ariana Fulwood – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Carina Gamez – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Julissa Leon – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Kenia Pena – Ft. Pierce Central HS
 Jamie England – Jupiter HS
 Patrick Charran – Lake Minneola HS
 Tammy Ngo – Lake Minneola HS
 Alyssa Ball – Middleburg HS
 Melanie Luksic – Middleburg HS
 Sandesh Sukhdeo – New Smyrna Beach
 Augusta Akinwotu – Olympia HS
 Shirley Gandhi – Olympia HS
 Cristina Romany – Olympia HS
 Zayna Gichi – Palm Beach Gardens HS
 Danielle LaBonte – Palm Beach Gardens HS
 Nuzhat Zaman – Palm Beach Gardens HS
 Nishi Patel – Palm Harbor Univ. HS
 Alexayra Classen – Pasco HS
 Donmonique Black – Pine Ridge HS
 Kylie Rosa – Pine Ridge HS
 Nastassja Kowalski – Polk State Chain of
 Lakes Collegiate HS
 Kyle Weber – Polk State Chain of Lakes
 Collegiate HS
 Ena Francis – South Fort Myers
 Dawson Laforce – South Fort Myers
 Daphkar Rene' – St. Lucie West Centennial HS
 Kevin Chi – Terra Environmental Research Institute
 Michelle Lopez – Terra Environmental Research Institute
 Tina Phan – University of West Florida
 Natalie Brown – West Florida HS
 Jessica Harrison – West Florida HS
 Miranda Taylor – West Florida HS
 Desiree Bradwell – Turner Tech
 Christina Janvier – Turner Tech
 Alana Pirbaksh – Winter Haven HS
 Rachel Sawah – Wiregrass Ranch HS



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*Thank
You*

to all our
Outstanding Advisors

who helped with our assigned events during
the International Leadership Conference
in Nashville!

We couldn't have done it without you!

*We sincerely appreciate all you
tirelessly do throughout the year!*

Coming soon: Fall Leadership Development Academy (FLDA) November 18 - 20, 2016

Location: Camp Kulaqua, High Springs, FL - For more on the location visit: www.campkulaqua.com.

Cost: \$150 per person

Deadline to Register: October 21st

- Get to know your new State Officer Team
- Meet middle, high school, and postsecondary members from all across Florida and make lasting friendships
- Polish your public speaking skills and master other skills and activities to implement in your local chapters and regions.
- Engaging advisor workshops and activities
- Bring money for fun activities and to raise funds for the Florida HOSA Foundation Scholarship
- Enjoy the beautiful fall foliage and scenery of North Florida
- Take peaceful hikes or jog with friends along the shady trails

Facility Details

- Play volleyball, basketball, or putt-putt golf
- Catch up with friends on one of the swings
- Jump on the hayride and enjoy the camp fire

**Information will be posted to our website and mailed in September.
Register early - spots fill up quickly!**



2016 – 2017 Calendar of Events

(times and dates are subject to change, Rev. 6/15/16)

July 25 - 27, 2016	Annual Florida Association for Career and Technical Education (FACTE)/HOEAF Conference Buena Vista Palace - Orlando, Florida
August 8, 2016	Florida HOSA Newsletter Articles due by 12 noon
August 2016	Florida HOSA Newsletter Publication
August 19 - 21, 2016	State Officer FLDA Planning Meeting
September 17 - 20, 2016	Washington Leadership Academy for State Officers and Local Chapter Leaders Hilton Alexandria Mark Center - Alexandria, VA
September/October 2016	Fall Regional Conferences Fall Conferences should be scheduled so the Regional Officers may attend the Fall Leadership Development Academy (FLDA).
October 1, 2016	SLC 2017 Planning Committee Meeting Marriott Orlando World Center - Orlando, Florida
October 3, 2016	Florida HOSA Newsletter Articles due by 12 noon (Regions 1, 4, 8, and 10)
October 15, 2016	Affiliation Deadline for HOSA 100 Club Recognition
October 21, 2016	Registration Deadline for the Fall Leadership Development Academy (FLDA) On-line Registration must be completed by this date; checks and forms mailed to State Office.
October 21 - 23, 2016	State Officer FLDA Planning Meeting
October 2016	Florida HOSA Newsletter Publication
November 6 - 12, 2016	HOSA Week
November 18 - 20, 2016	Fall Leadership Development Academy (FLDA) begins at 12:00 noon Camp Kulaqua - High Springs, FL
November 19, 2016	Florida HOSA, Inc. Board Meeting at 7:30 a.m. Camp Kulaqua - High Springs, FL
November 20, 2016	Florida HOSA Foundation, Inc. Meeting at 12:00 noon Camp Kulaqua - High Springs, FL
January 1, 2017	Deadline to affiliate with State and National HOSA

January/February 2017	Winter/Spring Regional Competitive Events Conferences should be scheduled to allow registration for the State Leadership Conference (SLC) by deadline.
January 23, 2017	Florida HOSA Newsletter Articles due by 12 noon (Regions 2, 6, 9, and 11)
January 28, 2017	SLC 2017 Competitive Events Committee Meeting Marriott Orlando World Center - Orlando, Florida
January 28 & 29, 2017	SLC 2017 State Officer Planning Meeting Marriott Orlando World Center - Orlando, Florida
February 4, 2017	Deadline to submit State Officer Application All applications must be <i>postmarked by this date</i>
February 2017	Florida HOSA Newsletter Publication
March 1, 2017	Registration Deadline for the State Leadership Conference (SLC 2017) On-line Registration must be completed by this date; checks and forms mailed to State Office.
March 3 & 4, 2017	SLC 2017 State Officer Planning Meeting Marriott Orlando World Center - Orlando, Florida
April 6 - 9, 2017	State Leadership Conference (SLC 2017) Marriott Orlando World Center - Orlando, Florida
April 17, 2017	Florida HOSA Newsletter Articles due by 12 noon (Regions 3, 5, 7, and 12)
May 2017	Florida HOSA Newsletter Publication
May 5 - 7, 2017	New State Officers' Conference (NOC) Florida HOSA State Office - Alachua, Florida
May 9, 2017	Registration Deadline for the International Leadership Conference. The school's Registration Report, as well as all fees and forms, must be received in the Florida HOSA State Office on or before this date (not postmarked) in order to reconcile information and mail to National HOSA Office.
June 21 - 25, 2017	International Leadership Conference (ILC 2017) Disney's Coronado Springs Resort - Orlando Florida